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Levin Telecommunications, Corp.	)	ICC Docket No. 07- CHIEF CLERK'S OFFICE
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Relief to Protect from Disclosure in	)	07-W47
its Entirety for a Period of Not less	)	
Then Five Years Petitioner's 2006	)	
Annual Report	)	

## PETITION FOR EMERGENCY AND EXPEDITED RELIEF

Levin Telecommunications, Corp. ("LTC"), by one of its officers, hereby respectfully petitions the Illinois Commerce Commission ("Commission") to grant it the emergency relief requested herein. In support of this petition, LTC states as follows:

- 1. As a telecommunications carrier subject to the jurisdiction of the Commission, LTC is required to file with the Commission an annual report.
- 2. LTC's Annual Report contains confidential information, this financial information constitutes proprietary, commercially sensitive information that, if publicly disseminated, could be used to LTC's detriment by its competitors.
- 3. The telecommunications industry is highly competitive, and it is imperative that public disclosure of confidential information contained in LTC's Annual Report be avoided for a period of at least five years following the issuance of an Order by the Commission because of the competitive harm which disclosure of such information would likely cause LTC.
- 4. Section 7 of the Illinois Freedom of Information Act, 5 ILCS 140/7 (g) (1994) exempts from public disclosure "trade secrets and commercial or financial information ... where such trade secrets or information are proprietary, privileged or confidential." The Annual Report that is the subject of this Petition falls within this exemption.

WHEREFORE, Levin Telecommunications, Corp. respectfully requests that the Commission issue an expedited Order protecting from disclosure in its entirety for a period of not less then five years LTC's 2006 Annual Report.

Respectfully submitted,

By:

Dated: January 15, 2007

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#### VERIFICATION

STATE OF ILLINOIS	)
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COUNTY OF COOK	)

Bruce Levin, being duly sworn upon oath, deposes and states that he has read the foregoing for Emergency and Expedited Relief to Protect from Disclosure in its Entirety for a Period of Not less Then Five Years Petitioner's 2006 Annual Report, and knows the contents thereof; and that to the best of his knowledge, information, and belief, maintains that the contents of this document is true and correct.

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**AARON GULOTTA** NOTARY PUBLIC STATE OF ILLINOIS My Commission Expires 10/13/2009

SUBSCRIBED and SWORN to Before me this 16<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2007

Notary Public

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### **NOTICE OF FILING**

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that I have on this 16<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2007 filed via FedEx with the Chief Clerk of the Illinois Commerce Commission, 527 East Capitol Avenue, Springfield, LTC's petition for Emergency and Expedited Relief to Protect from Disclosure in its Entirety for a Period of Not less Then Five Years Petitioner's 2006 Annual Report.

Bruce Levin